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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Examiner: C. Lopez Group Art Unit: 1731

Re: Application of: Juha KINNUNEN, et al.

Serial No.: 09/622,082

Filed: September 22, 2000

For: APPLICATION OF A LAYER OF ADMIXTURE
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PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a)

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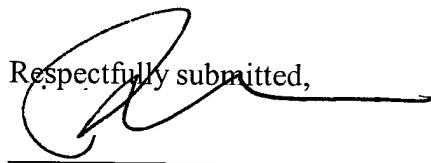
Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for filing a response to the Final Office Action dated October 23, 2002 for two months from January 23, 2003 to March 23, 2003.

The extension fee of \$410.00 is submitted herewith. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500518. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

By:


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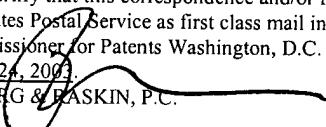
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